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Sen. Kuipers talks with African parliamentarians

LANSING — Sen. Wayne Kuipers, R-Holland, spoke Tuesday with members of a delegation from six French-speaking African nations who visited Lansing to learn more about how state lawmakers represent diverse constituencies, particularly immigrants. The Michigan capital was the group's last stop on a tour of the United States that began in Washington, D.C. Members of the African delegation came from Chad, Cote d'Ivoire, Guinea, Mali, Mauritania, Niger and Senegal.

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